Allocation for Tribal Sub-Plan

4190. DR. A.K. PATEL: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been lesser allocation for tribal welfare fund (Tribal Sub-Plan) during the last two years;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and if not, the increase in the allocation;

(c) whether Government have collected information regarding welfare schemes proposed by Gujarat Government agreed to in 1999; and

(d) if so, the details of progress made in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM): (a) and (b) The Ministry of Tribal Affairs allocates funds to various States in respect of Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Plan and grant-in-aid under Article 275(1) of the Constitution. The allocations made under SCA to TSP and Article 275(1) of the Constitution in the last three years are given below:

(Rs. in crores)

	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002
SCA to TSP	400	400	500
Article 275(1)	100	200	300

The above allocations show that the Government has not allocated a lower amount for the welfare of tribals under the TSP in the last two years.

(c) and (d) The information is being compiled/collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Projects for special grants from Chhattisgarh

†4191. SHRI MOTILAL VORA: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of various project sent by Government of Chhattisgarh to his Ministry for special grant under Article 275 during the year 2001-2002;

(b) the names of the projects which have been approved alongwith the details of the funds allotted;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi

(c) if not, by when a final decision will be taken in this regard; and

(d) the reasons for the delay?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM): (a) to (c) The Government of Chhattisgarh had sent 34 proposals to this Ministry during 2001-2002 for funding under Article 275(1) of the constitution of India. Keeping in view the entitlement of Rs. 2088.57 lakhs for the year 2001-2002 for Chhattisgarh, 9 proposals were approved in consultation with the State Government. A statement showing the projects approved under Article 275(1) of the Constitution of India for Chhattisgarh and funds released is enclosed.

(d) Does not arise.

Statement

List of the Projects Sanctioned Under Article 275(1) of the Constitution during 2001-2002

CHHATTISGARH

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl No	Project sanctioned	Length/area	Amount
1	Construction of Chilpi Rengakhar Salhewara Road, Distt. Kawardha	56 Kms.	244.00
2	Bodla Taregaon—Daldali Road, Distt. Kawardha.	42 Kms.	356.00
3	Construction of Bridge on Janakpur Badbahi Road	Koria	194.77
4	Construction of roads and bridges in tribal Pal legislative constituency	Sarguja	674.81
5	Sustainable Eco-friendly Development Plan for Abujhmarias in Bastar	Bastar	Total: 17.7 2 Ist year 2.27
6	Bridge over Maini River	Jaspurnagar Block Kansabael	278.00
7	Construction of bridge at Kamarga Nala over Birsingha-Karmaga Toolma Marg	Raigarh Block Lailoonga	88.00
8	Kanhar Bridge on Sanna, Champa, Kusami Marg K.M. 21.6	Jashpurnagar Block Bagicha	91.5
9	Construction of Road, bridges and Pooliya, 17.60 K.M.	Bhoomaka Balergaoun Kaspur Simanadi Marg	157.42
		TOTAL	2086.77